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Attention: Rachel Falsetti, Transportation Programming, MS-82

Dear Mr. Kempton:

Re: FY 2006/07 to 20011/12 Federal Transportation Improvement Program; SCAG FTIP Amendment #11

We have completed our review of the Southern California Association of Governments' (SCAG) 2006/07 to 20010/11 Federal Transportation Improvement Program (FTIP) Amendment #11, as requested by your letter of August 16, 2007.

We find SCAG's FTIP Amendment #11 was developed based on a continuing, cooperative, and comprehensive transportation planning process in accordance with 23 USC 134 & 135, 49 USC 5303-5305, and 23 CFR 450. The California Department of Transportation assures this amendment has met the financial constraint requirements included in our transportation planning regulations, i.e. 23 CFR 450.324(e).

This letter constitutes approval of Federal Statewide Transportation Improvement Program (FSTIP) Amendment #11. It includes one Ventura County project (MPO ID VEN0 04501), which was inadvertently amended in Amendment #6. The SCAG FTIP Amendment #11 is approved and included into California's 2007 FSTIP, with the understanding the eligibility of individual projects is subject to the applicant's satisfaction of all FTA and FHWA administrative requirements.

This approval is based on the California Department of Transportation's assurance that the funding for this amendment does not adversely impact the FSTIP Financial Plan.

If you have any questions regarding this determination, please do not hesitate to contact Ms. Michelle Noch of the Los Angeles Metropolitan Office at (213) 202-3953 or Mr. Ted Matley of the Federal Transit Administration at (415) 744-2590.

Sincerely,

/s/ Leslie T. Rogers

For
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